

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Stephen J. REINL et al.

Serial No.: 09/667,237

Filed: 22 September 2000

CREATION OF VARIABLE LENGTH For:

AND SEQUENCE LINKER REGIONS

FOR DUAL-DOMAIN OR

MULTI-DOMAIN MOLECULES

Group Art Unit: 1648
Examiner: TBA

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Box AF **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a two-month extension of time to extend the time for response to the Notice of 4 December 2001 to 4 April 2002. A check in the amount of \$200.00 for the extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2) is attached.

The Commissioner hereby is authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 which may become due in connection with the instant application to Deposit Account No. 18-2220.

Respectfully submitted?

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